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10 APR 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy for Technology, OSA

SUBJECT: OXCART Briefing for General Doolittle

1. This office has been alerted to prepare for a possible briefing on OXCART for General James Doolittle to be conducted [redacted] on 16 April 1963. At this time Colonel Ledford is planning to conduct subject briefing.

2. As you are aware, General Doolittle is keenly interested in the devices and methods to be used in the OXCART vehicle for the destruction of incriminating evidence in the event of a downed aircraft in denied territory. Accordingly, it is requested that your office prepare a status report of the following destruct systems:

- a. Flight plan film strip.
- b. Map destructor system.
- c. Tape recorder.
- d. Primary take.
- e. Aircraft destructor system.

3. It is further requested that subject destructor system status report be dispatched to this office not later than 12 April 1963.

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Deputy for Field Activities

cc: AD/OSA

OSA/OD/C/OXC [redacted] (10 Apr 63)  
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